



PERSONAL WAR SKETCHES

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SOUTH HADLEY.

DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS

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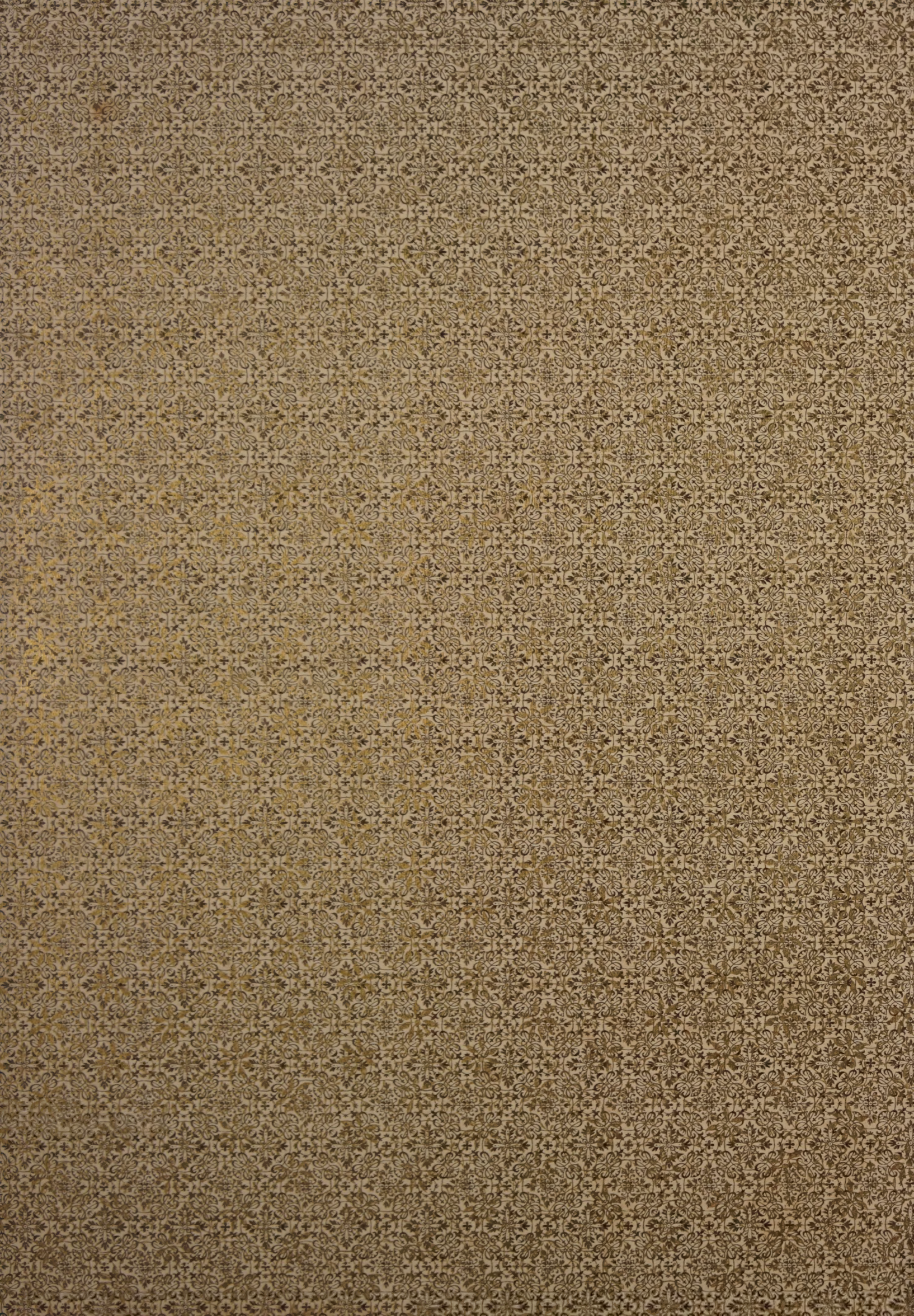
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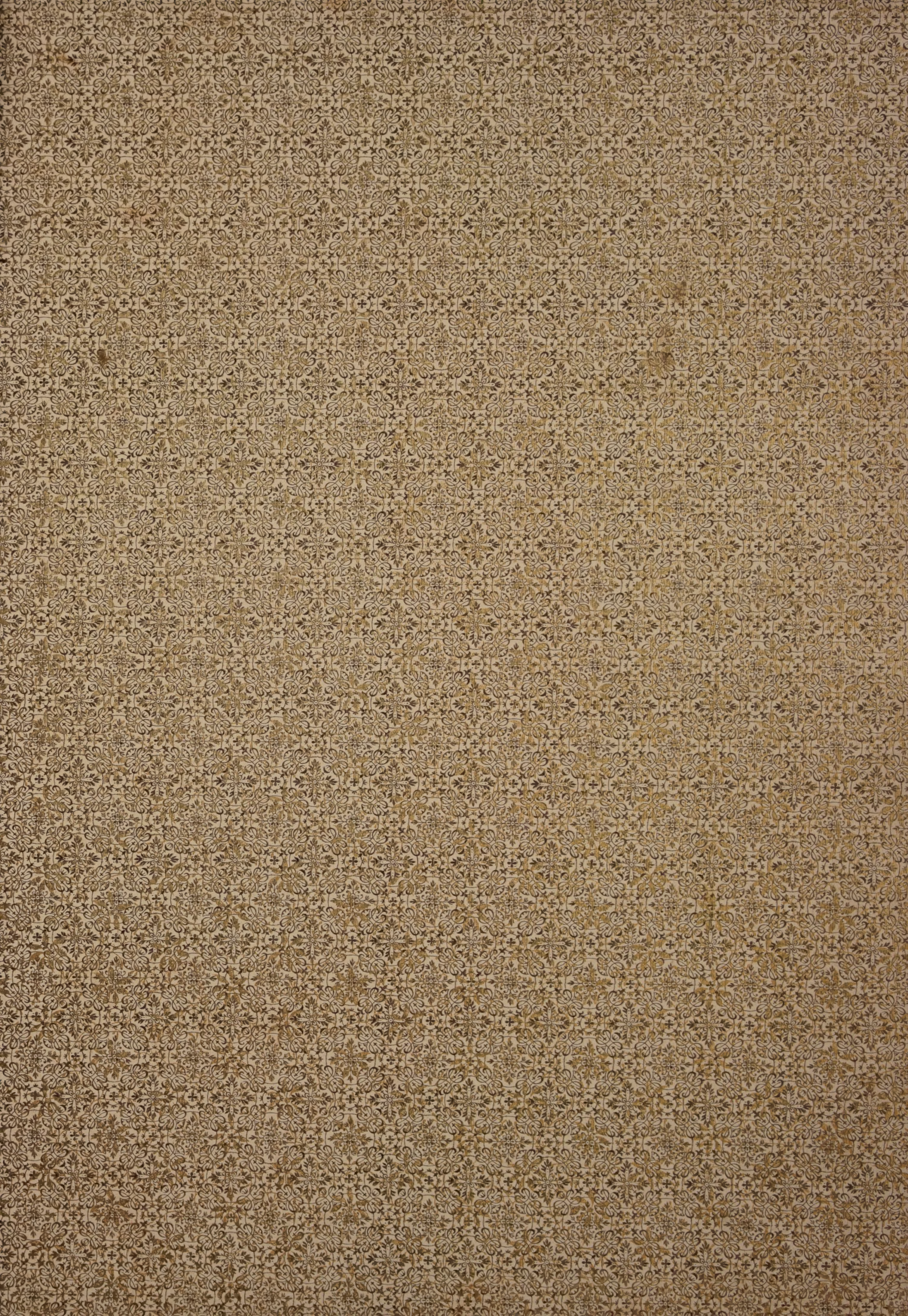
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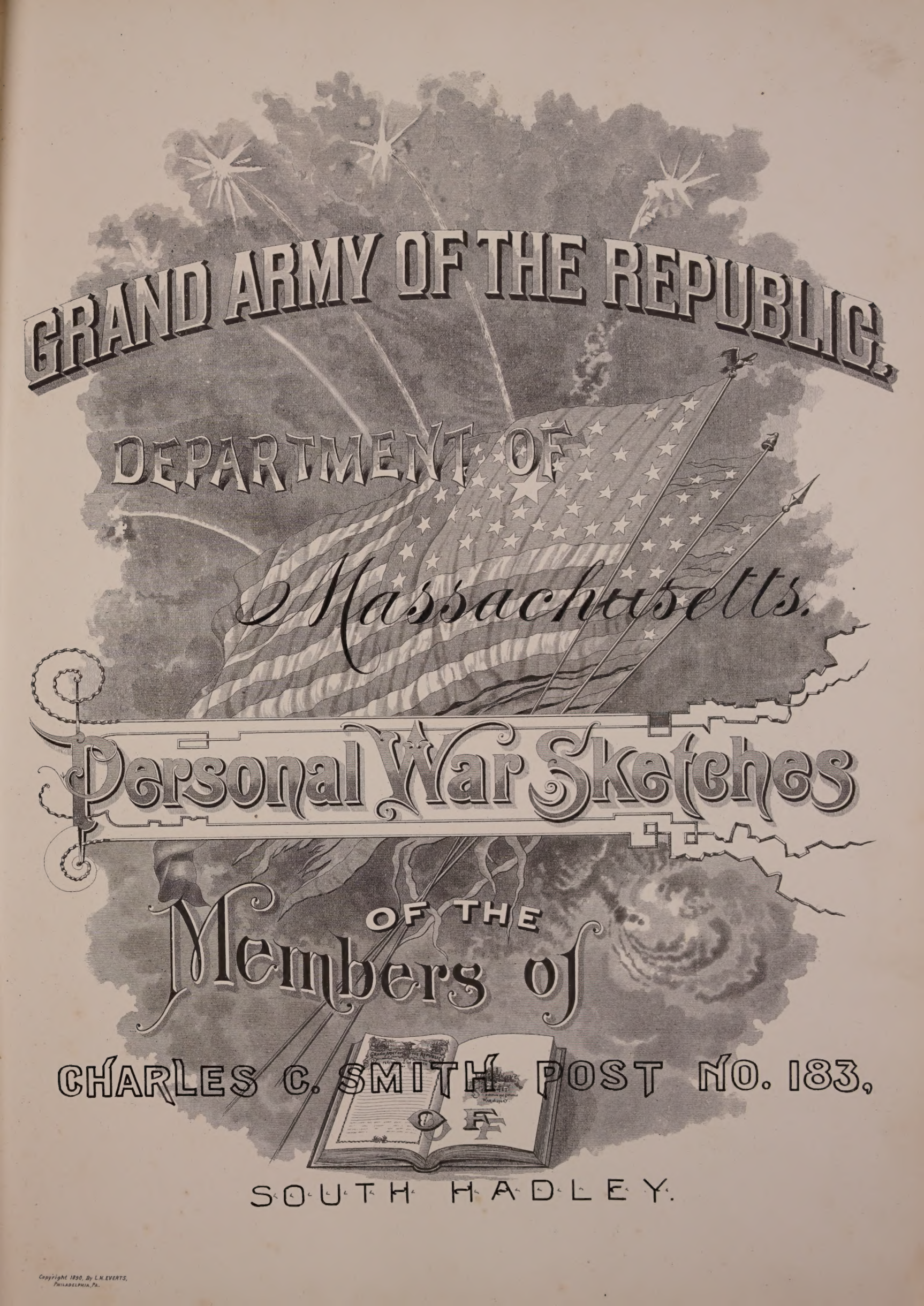
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

DEPARTMENT OF

Massachusetts.

Personal War Sketches

OF THE
Members of

CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,



SOUTH HADLEY.



PREFACE.

This Volume is designed to contain the record of the war services (1861-1865) of the living and deceased members of this Post; the living to certify to the statement of their services, and the facts relating to the dead to be certified to by the Post Historian.

The supplementary part of the Volume is for a continuance of the personal sketches as occasion may require in the opinion of the Post Historian, also for the preservation of the names, and record of other soldiers or sailors who enlisted from the immediate locality.

Resolution pages are provided for containing the resolutions passed by the Post upon the death of a member.

Record of burial pages are intended for the comrades of the Post and also for the names of all soldiers & sailors whose graves the Post may decorate from year to year.

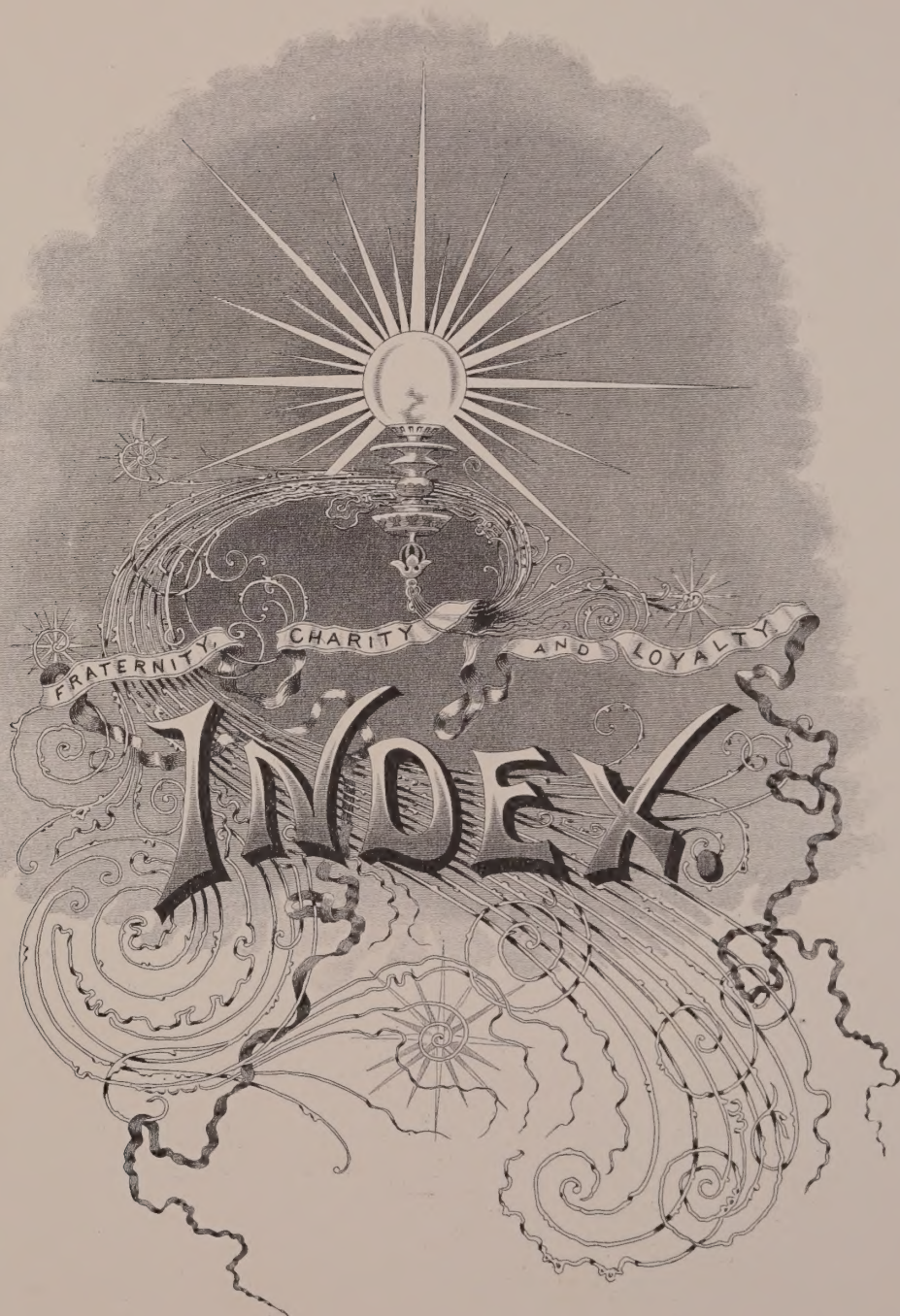
Record of presentation page is designed to contain the action of the Post upon receipt of the Volume.

The Post should obtain permission of the donors for the insertion of a personal sketch, blank pages being provided for that purpose. A sketch of the person after whom the Post is named should also be prepared.

When the Post shall have surrendered its charter this Volume can be preserved by the local municipality, if a suitable depository for safe keeping is provided, or it can be preserved in the archives of the State.

The Volume is respectfully dedicated to the last surviving comrade of the Post by the

Author.



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Record of Presentation and Acceptance.

This Volume was presented to the Post on the 30th day of May 1890.
The presentation was made by Ford M. Smith and the Volume was
accepted on behalf of the Post by Martin L. Barnes - Commander -

At a meeting of the Post, held on the _____ day of _____ 18 _____ the following
resolutions were adopted -

This book was presented to the Charles C. Smith Post No 183, E. A. R. by
Mrs Ford M. Smith in memory of her father Thirum Smith who worked
to fill the quota of the town during the Civil War. In fact the
town of South Hadley sent more to the Civil War than was asked
for, which is a record to be proud of.

This book was received by the Post in the year 1890. during the time
Comrade Martin L. Barnes was Commander and by him this book
was turned over into the hands of Benj' C. Brainard, who agreed
to secure the necessary data and herein record it. That gentleman
neglected to do anything about the matter in either securing data or making
records and as a consequence the book is most incomplete.

The present committee did not secure possession of the book until the year
1912 or Twenty two years after it was presented to the Post. We have
worked hard to get what records that have been secured, but during
the twenty two years of neglect many have died and much that
might have been recorded died with them.

The Committee is very much indebted to Mrs Wm. C. Gates who kindly
wrote in the records of this book without compensation

Entered -
January 1st 1915.
By Arthur P. Hyde -

Comm. { Philip Hyde.
Burritt Ludd.
John Kirkpatrick.

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

DEPARTMENT OF

MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____
County of _____ State of _____

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade _____
Post No. _____ Department of _____
Joined _____ 18__ Held Offices of _____

Adjutant.

Commander.

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POST NO. 183,

DEPARTMENT OF

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 County of _____ State of _____

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Date _____

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 Post No. _____ Department of _____

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Adjutant _____

Commander _____

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OF

Comrade

Who was born the

County of

day of
State of

A.D. 18 in

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
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Date

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We certify that Comrade
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GRAND ARMY OF

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH
OF

Comrade Charles B. Bates

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1813 in
 Newton County of Suffolk State of Massachusetts

Entered service Aug 25th 1862 as private in Co B 52nd Mass V.M.
 discharged June 5th 1863 by reason of term of service having expired.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe.

Date _____

Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Charles B. Bates
 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
 June 5 1883 Held Offices of _____

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Commander _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Robert Baldwin

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1811 in _____
 County of _____ State of Scotland

Entered the service on the 8th day of September 1862 as private in Co K 52nd Mass Regiment
 discharged Aug 14th 1863 as Sergeant Co K by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
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Date

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We certify that Comrade Robert Baldwin joined Charles C. Smith
 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Jan 14 1886 Held Offices of

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade James Brown

Who was born the

day of

A.D. 1802 in

County of

State of Scotland

Entered the service on the 7th day of May 7 1861 as private in Co. A. Second Conn
 (being a resident of South Hadley) for a term of three months
 and was discharged Aug 7 1861 by reason of ^{expiration of} term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade James Brown
 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
 May 22nd 1899 Held Offices of

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade *Warren Pierce Barnes*

Who was born the *seventh* day of *September* A.D. *1830* in
Orange County of *Franklin* State of *Massachusetts*
at *Boston Mass*

First entered the service on the *11th* day of *September 1861* as *Musician* in *22nd Mass*
regimental band was first discharged at *Harrison's Landing Va.* Aug *11*. 1862. by reason
of *U. S. No 151 Army of Potomac Aug 4-1862*. Reenlisted in *Brigade band Corps d'Afrique* and
was discharged Aug *8* 1865 at *New Orleans La.* by reason of special order *No 14 E* at *13th Hd*
2nd Military dept of the Gulf N.O. La Aug *2nd* 1865.

Was first engaged in battle at *Kanover*
Court House Va. and subsequently at *Gains Hill*, and at *Malvern Hill*.

Names of most intimate comrades *J. C. Wheeler, Charles Nichols, Olney Lucas*
S. E. Henry, Charles Knowlton.

Most important events in the service. *Enlistment and*
discharge

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade *Warren Pierce Barnes* joined *Charles C. Smith*
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts May *24th* 1886 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Walter Borthwick

Who was born the Thirteenth day of April A.D. 1822 in

County of State of

Carlinton near Edinburgh Scotland

First entered the service August 20 1862 at Hartford Connecticut as Private

in Company A 22nd Reg Conn V I

Was discharged July 7 1863 at expiration of service

Has never engaged in battle

Intimate comrades in service. Corp Richardson, T Eugene Baugh, Eph Pearce

Marion Pasco George Pasco, Wm E Brown, Edward Britton

Important events in my service. Company A. Supporting Battery below Suffolk

on Nauset River and up Peninsula as far as Discus Bridge

Events in connection with military service. Ticket duty. Digging Rifle pits

Building forts &c

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as

I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Walter Borthwick

Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith

Dec 17th 1888 Held Offices of

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Dexter Burnett

Who was born the Fifteenth day of April A.D. 1819 in
South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered the service 6th of January 1864 at Norfolk Va. as private in Co. D. 27th
Regiment M.V.I. First discharged 15th of June 1865 at Annapolis Md. Parole Camp
Close of War finally discharged by order of War Department.

The first gun I fired was at
Mary Dunbar Farm, engaged at Arrowfield Church Va. at Drury's Bluff Va. Wake house Creek
Va. Cold Harbor three days fight. At Siege of Petersburg from June 15 until Aug 24,
slightly wounded in front of Petersburg. Confined at Annapolis on return from prison.
taken prisoner at South west Creek N.C. was taken prisoner by Col. Zuckery of Koke's Div
March 8, 1865. was paroled the 26th went by Steamer to Parole Camp Annapolis,
was in Libby's prison three days, on the road the rest of the time, going about most
of the way. not much to eat. paid \$100.00 for one loaf bread. Warren K. Snell my
intimate was wounded when taken prisoner. I with three others made a stretcher
of blankets and poles and carried him a half mile to the Hospital.

At Drury's Bluff. Beauregard came on us in the fog, taking most of the regiment
prisoners. when retreating a comrade by my side was struck and killed.

At Arrowfield Church when they charged on us they were repulsed. 45 of them
buried in one grave. When in the breach in front of Petersburg a shell
struck near. I cast it over the bank but it did not explode. The years sixty
four and five were full of incidents of the War

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Dexter Burnett
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
April 15th 1889 Held Offices of

Adjutant.

Commander.

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade William Brown

Who was born the Sixteenth day of January A.D. 1845 in
Tootcheray County of Kent State of England

First entered the service July 3 1863 at Westfield Mass as Private in
Company A Second Mass Heavy Artillery
Was discharged September 3. 1865 at Close of war
First fight was Boston Riot. participated in other engagements on railroad between Beauford
and Newbern, Fort Rowen Newbern, Plymouth, Rambo's Bluff.
confined in hospital at Beauford Harbor.
Names of intimate comrades in service. Lieutenant Jenkins, John Curtis,
Charles Murphy, George Stevens, John Powers, Sam Falvey, Sergeant Carter

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I verily believe
Date _____ Signed _____
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Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts
Joined Charles C. Smith
June 16th 1890 Held Offices of _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade George H. Brown

Who was born the ^{Twentieth} ~~Twenty~~ ninth day of March A.D. 1840 in
^{North} ~~North~~ ^{East} ~~East~~ ^{Coast} ~~Coast~~ ^{County} ~~County~~ of Kent State of England

First entered the Service September 29 1863 at New York as Second Class Fireman
 in Ship "Honeyuckle" and was promoted to rank of First Class Fireman December 4 1863
 Was discharged Oct 8 1864 at Boston at expiration of time of Service
 First Battle was firing on Blockade Runners and other engagements was the capture of
 four Blockade runners

Names of intimate comrades. James Forester, Richard
 Forbes, William Riley, Ed Forbes,

Most important events in service. Chasing Blockade
 runners.

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 I verily believe

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Martin L. Barnes

Who was born the Second day of April A.D. 1843 in
Hardwick County of Worcester State of Massachusetts

First entered the service May 25 1861 at West Roxbury Mass as Private in
Company E 2^d Massachusetts Regt.
Was discharged Aug^t 25 1862 at Frederick Md because of Heart Disease
First Battle in which I engaged was Balls Bluff and others Winchester Va -
Banks great retreat.
Was confined in Hospital at Frederick & Baltimore Md.
Names of intimate comrades in service John R Newcomb George R Williams.
Lucius Chilson, Charles Snow.
Most important events in service. Muster in. and discharge.

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Date _____ *Signed* _____

We certify that Comrade Martin L Barnes *Joined Charles C Smith*
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CHARLES C. SMITH

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade Charles Church

Who was born the 30th day of November A.D. 1843 in
Enfield County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered the service Augst 18 1862 at South Hadley Falls Mass. as Private in
Company M 52nd Reg^t Mass. V. M. and afterwards promoted to Corporal.

Was first discharged Augst 14 1863 at Greenfield Mass. at expiration of time of service
and re-enlisted in 8th Reg^t Mass V. M. and was next discharged November 10 1864
at Springfield Mass. by reason of expiration of time of service.

The first Battle in which I engaged was Port Hamilton La. March 14 1863 and others
were daily skirmishes from Brashear City La. to Barrier Landing on Bayou Corneilleau
confined in Hospital at Brashear City, Moffats Island, and Banacks Gen Hospital N.O.

Names of most intimate comrades in the service. L B Hooker, Joseph Duhan-
ek, Edward Duhanek, G Feustal, Burrill Judd, C B Smith, C Spooner & others
most important events in service. Muster in and discharge.

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Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

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OF

Comrade Samuel Barton Dickenson

Who was born the First day of June A.D. 1844 in
Grauby County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered service Aug 25th 1862 at Greenfield Mass. as private in 626 52nd
 Regiment N.V.M. Rank at close of service private finally discharged Aug 14th 1863
 at Greenfield Mass by reason of expiration of term of service.

First battle in which was engaged at Irish Bend La. was confined in hospital
 in May 1863 at Brashear City La. and in June and July at New Orleans La.

Names of intimate comrades in the service. Charles Spooner. G. Smith.
 Luther Dickinson

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Date

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Benjamin F. Davenport

Who was born the First day of December A.D. 1834 in
Lee County of Berkshire State of Massachusetts

First entered service Aug 11th 1862 from Holyoke as private in Co F 1st Mass Cavalry
first discharged Dec 19th 1863. re-enlisted in same company and Regiment, finally dis-
charged Feb 13th 1865 by reason of wounds received in battle at Ashland Va.
First battles in which engaged, at Harper's Ferry, and at Fredericksburg, Rapahannock
Station, Sulphur Springs, Brandy Station, Aldie, Upperville, Washington, Cross Roads Md.
Gettysburg, Culpepper, Auburn, New Hope Church (mine Run), Parkers Store, 21 battles in all,
wounded at Ashland Va in 1864. Confined in the U.S. General Hospital at Gibsons
Penit, Washington D.C. admitted to the Hospital May 25th 1864.

Names of intimate comrades in service Joseph Beals, Supt Edwin O. Hyde,
Chauncey E. Peck, Daniel B. Bouch, Seymour Gardiner, Henry Ingraham.
was in all engagements of Co from 1862 to May 11th 1864.

Other matter or events connected with my services: Should any one ask a Cavalry
man to name something peculiar to the South, he would say "Pigs" A pig hunt
was always in order, and at times the pig was the principal commissary department
of the Cavalry. In Maryland and Pennsylvania a characteristic was the big barn,
the Spring House, and Apple butter. In Virginia, apple jack, mint julep.

On one of our first tours of picket in the South, in the desire for fresh meat we brought
a little pig, he was sold by the Negro woman who claimed to own him on the "hoof"
he resisted all inducements offered him to come near enough to put salt on
his tail, so drawing a revolver we tried him on the wing and brought him
down. The pig was delicious, if not up to the standard of some South Hadley
Falls Lamb.

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Date

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We certify that Comrade Benjamin F. Davenport joined Charles C. Smith
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GRAND ARMY OF

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Charles Henry Davenport

Who was born the Thirteenth day of June A.D. 1846 in
South Hadley Falls County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered the service July 16 1864 at South Hadley Falls Mass, as Private
in Company A 8th Reg^t Mass V.M.

Was discharged November 10th 1864 at Readville Mass at expiration of time
of service

Was never engaged in Battle

Charles West Henry Sexton

Names of intimate comrades in the service. Charles Church,

Soup.

Most important events in service. Cutting up Beef and making

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCHOF
Comrade David M. DonaldsonWho was born the Twenty seventh day of January A.D. 1838 in
Rye Gate County of Caladonia State of VermontI first entered the service July 16. 1862 at Chicopee Mass as Private in Company
A 37th Reg^t Mass V. I. and while in the service was promoted to Sergeant 1st
Sergeant 2nd Lieutenant November 1864 and 1st Lieutenant May 16 1865 this being my
rank at close of war.I was discharged in December 1864 at Winchester Va to receive promotion Did not
re enlist being again CommissionedI was finally discharged at Washington D.C. June 21. 1865 at expiration of time
of service.The first Battle in which I was engaged was Fredricksburg Manye, Nighty Salem Church
and other engagements in which I participated are as follows. Franklin Crossing
Rappahannock Station Mine Run Petersburg Ft. Stevens Charleston Va Opequan Natchers
Run Fort Hedman Fall of Petersburg and Sailor Creek also Wilderness Laurel Hill
the Angle Spottsylvania North Anna Cold Harbor.

I was wounded gun shot wound at Winchester September 19. 1864 in left side.

I was confined in U.S. General Hospital Philadelphia Pa

I deem the most important events in my service "The Battle of the fall of Petersburg where I
was in Command of the "Forten Hope" so called it consisted of the Brigade Pioneers armed
with axes and our duty was to remove the obstructions in front of the enemy works.For further record see History of 37 Reg^t Mass Vols and also History of Mass in the war of the
Rebellion also records in the office of City Clerk of Chicopee of Soldiers who enlisted from
Chicopee Mass.I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

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Signed

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Levi P. Dickenson

Who was born the

day of

Hadley

County of Hampshire

State of Mass.

A.D. 1833 in

Entered the service in Aug 1862 as Private in Co F 37th Regt M.V.M.

Discharged June 24th 1864 by reason of disability

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Levi P. Dickenson joined Charles C. Smith

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DEPARTMENT OF

MASSACHUSETTS.



GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

*Comrade James J Decker**Who was born the*
*America**County of**day of*
*State of New York**A.D. 1846 in**Entered the service July 11th 1864 as Private in Co B 42nd Regt N.Y.M.**Discharged Nov 11th 1864 after 100 days service, by reason of expiration of term of service.**I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as*
*I verily believe**Date**Signed**We certify that Comrade James J Decker*
*Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts**Joined Charles C Smith*
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade

Who was born the

County of

day of

State of

A.D. 18

in

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade David Everett

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1821 in
 Chesterfield County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service Sept 1st 1861 as Private in Co A 27th Regt M.V.M. Promoted to
 rank of Sergeant during service. Discharged Oct 20th 1862 by reason of disability

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
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Date _____

Signed _____

We certify that Comrade David Everett joined Charles C. Smith
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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Gottlieb Feustel.

Who was born the Fifth day of April A.D. 1841 in

Seichroßframsdorf County of State of Germany

First entered the service Sept 1st 1862 at Greenfield Mass as private in Co B. 52nd Mass V.M. and discharged, without change in rank, Aug 14th 1863 at Greenfield by reason of expiration of term of service

Most important event in term of service was the siege of Fort Hudson.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Gottlieb Feustel

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May 28th 1886

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade C

Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 18* *in* _____
County of _____ *State of* _____

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date _____ *Signed* _____

We certify that Comrade _____ *Joined* _____ *18* *Held Offices of* _____
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Richard Goodhind

Who was born the

Deronshire

County of

day of

State of England

A.D. 1843 in

Entered the service May 11th 1861 as Private in Co. 4 2nd Regt. M. V. M. Promoted to rank of Corporal during service. Discharged May 23rd 1864 by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade F. D. Gleason

Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 1843 in*
Chicopee Falls County of Hampden State of Mass

Entered the service in Oct 1861 as Private in Co B 27th M.V.M. Promoted to rank
of Corporal during service and discharged April 11th 1864 by reason of disability.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade F. D. Gleason
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
Aug 2 1889 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade Louis B. Hooker

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1836 in
Hedley County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service in Aug 1862 as Private in Co 16 52nd Regt M V M

Promoted during service to rank of Sergeant and discharged Aug 14th 1863 by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date _____

Signed

We certify that Comrade Louis B Hooker joined Charles C Smith
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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade W S Hawkes D.D.

Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 1845 in*
South Reading County of Middlesex State of Mass

Entered the service July 11th 1864 as Private in Co E 8th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged Nov 10 1864 by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
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Date _____ *Signed* _____
We certify that Comrade *Rev* *W S Hawkes D.D.* *joined Charles C Smith*
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Fred A Hayes

Who was born the day of A.D. 1844 in
North Yarmouth County of State of Maine

Entered the service Sept 8th 1864 as Landman on Steamer Dawn.
Discharged June 17th 1865 by reason of close of war.

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Date Signed
We certify that Comrade Fred A Hayes Joined Charles C Smith
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Christopher E. Houghtaling

Who was born the Sixteenth day of March A.D. 1841 in
 Canaan County of Columbia State of New York

First entered service Sep 15, 1861 at Camp Brightwood Md. as private in Co B 10th Mass
 V.I. and discharged Dec 21, 1863 at Brandy Station Va. by reason of re-enlistment transferred
 June 21, 1864 to 34th Mass Regiment V.I. Vi 21, 120th Mass 1865, finally discharged July 16th
 1865 at Readville Mass by reason of expiration of term of service.

First battle in which I was engaged at Fair Oaks Va. and in other engagements at
 Malvern Hills, Antietam, Fredericksburg Va. Salem Heights, Gettysburg Pa. Rappahannock
 Station, Wilderness Va. Winchester Va. Petersburg Va. April 1865. Battle of Appomattox
 May 5 in battle of Wilderness, in right thigh, confined in Carter Hospital
 Washington D.C. never taken prisoner.

Names of most intimate comrades in the service

John E. Atwood, John Boyle, Simon B. Cotton, Frederick Burnham, Thomas
 Baile, John Riley, J. W. Cole.

Most important events in the service, were, first
 night that I joined the service at Brightwood Md. and when I left the
 wilderness, wounded.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Christopher E. Houghtaling joined Charles C. Smith
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Philip Hyde

Who was born the Sixth 6th day of May A.D. 1843 in
South Lee County of Berkshire State of Massachusetts

Entered the service June 21st 1861 at Springfield Mass. as Private in Co I 10th
Regt. Mass Vol Inf to serve three years. Promoted to rank of Corporal and Duty
Sergeant during service. Discharged July 1st 1864 at Springfield Mass. by reason of
expiration of term of service

First engaged in skirmish and picket duty and constructing
corduroy roads in vicinity of Warwick Gt Va. until after evacuation of Yorktown,
during the battle of Williamsburg my Regt supported Hooker and Hancock, marching
next day to Fort Magruder. We afterwards participated in the following engagements
and campaigns viz: Fair Oaks or Seven Pines, Oak Grove, Gaines Mills, Newmarket Cross
Roads, Malvern Hills, March to Yorktown, Maryland Campaign - including Antietam
and Williamsport, - Expedition to Hancock, Fredericksburg Campaign, Sharpsburg
Campaign, Mary's Heights, Salem Church, Gettysburg Campaign, Funkstown Md;
Rappahannock Station, Mine Run Expedition, Wilderness, Spottsylvania, Cold Harbor,
Petersburg, and numerous minor engagements and skirmishes.

I was wounded at the
battle of Fair Oaks Va by gunshot in head causing the loss of sight of left eye, and
was confined in hospital at Annapolis Md;

Rejoining Regt at Long Bridge on its
march to Antietam Md. was again wounded at battle of Salem Heights Va. by gunshot
in left knee and confined in field hospital a short time. again at battle of
Spottsylvania Va was wounded by gunshot in head sustaining but slight injury -
remained with my company except while in hospital as above stated, was
constantly with my command participated in all its campaigns and engagements,
and - by report of Superior Officer - "rendered gallant and meritorious service".
He was a son of the American Revolution, his grand father was Philip Hyde a Boston Minuteman
died at 33 Spring St So Hadley Falls, Mass. Feb 21-1916 - Age - 72 years 9 Mos 15 Days
Heart failure

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date May 6th 1912 Signed Philip Hyde

We certify that Comrade Philip Hyde
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts
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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Bernhardt Koefer
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1845 in
Saxony County of _____ State of Germany.

Entered the service Oct 25 1861 as Private in Co B 11th Regt Conn Vols
Discharged Oct 26th 1864 by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date _____ Signed _____
We certify that Comrade Bernhardt Koefer joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts April 4 1887 Held Offices of _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade *Wilder F. Haskell*

Who was born the day of A.D. 1829 in

Oakham County of Worcester State of Mass

Entered the service Aug 1st 1862 as Private in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M. Promoted while in camp at Groenfield to rank of 4th Sergeant.

Discharged Aug 14th 1863 by reason of expiration of term of service. Ranking 1st Sergeant.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date Signed

We certify that Comrade *Wilder F. Haskell* joined *Charles C. Smith*

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade J. S. Harris

Who was born the

County of

day of
State of Penn.

A.D. 1830 in

Entered service May 11th 1861 as Private in Co E 3rd Conn Vol. Promoted to rank of Corporal during service. Discharged from Co I 16th Conn Vol June 26th 1865 by general order A490

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade J. S. Harris
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Arthur N Judd

Who was born the day of A.D. 1845 in

South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service in August 1862 as Private in Co. E 53rd Regt. M.V.M.

Discharged in 1864 - Private in unattached Battery - by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Arthur N Judd

Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C Smith

Jan 14th 1886

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Burrill Judd

Who was born the Twenty Seventh day of December A.D. 1843 in
 Genesee County of Ontario State of New York

First entered service Sept-1st 1862 at Greenfield Mass. as private in Co H, 52nd Regt
 Mass. V.M. was discharged Aug 14th 1863 at Greenfield Mass. by reason of expiration of term of
 service.

First battle in which I was engaged being an assault on Port Hudson June 14th 1863
 and was in the siege of Port Hudson lasting from June 14th to July 8th
 was never wounded but was in hospital at Baton Rouge La.

Some of most intimate comrades in the service were Henry Blackmer, Oscar
 Hubbard, Luther Dickerson.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe

Date

Signed

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 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

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Comrade

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County of

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A.D. 18

in

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Date

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC
PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Francis A Kelley
 Who was born the day of A.D. 1843 in
 Carbondale County of State of Penn

Entered the service Nov 1864 as Private in Co B 58th Penn Regt
 Discharged Nov 12. 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

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 I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Francis A Kelley joined Charles C Smith
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC
PERSONAL WAR SKETCHOF
Comrade John KirkpatrickWho was born the Twentieth ninth day of January A.D. 1843 in
County of State of Ireland

First entered the service July 14th 1862 from South Hadley Falls Mass. as private in
Co I 34th Regiment Mass Vols. promoted to Sergeant June 1865 discharged July 6
1865 at Keokuk Mass by reason of expiration of term of service. (3 years)
First engaged in battle at Newmarket Va May 15th 1864 at Piedmont June 5th
Lynchburg June 18th Snickers Ford July 18th Winchester July 24th Martinsburg
July 25th Hallettsville Aug 26th Berryville Sept 3rd Winchester Sept 19th Fishers Hill
Sept 22nd Cedar Creek Oct 13th 1864. Hatchers Run Mar 30-31 and Apr 1st Fort Gregg
Apr 2nd and Appomattox Court House Apr 9th 1865. all in Virginia.

Was wounded at Winchester Va Sept 19th 1864 and Cedar Creek Va Oct 13th 1864.
Confined in George B. McCallan Hospital Philadelphia Pa three months

Most intimate comrades in the service were Sgt J. N. Clark, D. B. West, George
McCombs, Sgt Thomas O'Connor, C. A. Stebbins, Michael Kennedy and John Wagner

Most important events in service, when I was discharged from U.S. service, and
the final surrender of the Army of Northern Virginia by Genl R. E. Lee to U.S. Grant
Commanding U.S. Army, at Appomattox Court House Va. April 9th 1865

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade John Kirkpatrick joined Charles C. Smith
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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade Charles P. Kehl

Who was born the Fourth day of September A.D. 1844 in
Schlichtern County of State of Germany

First entered the service Sept 16th 1861 at New York City as private in Co D. 1st Regiment
Vol Engineers

Was discharged ranking as Artificer Sept 16-1864 at Bermuda Hundred
Va. by reason of expiration of term of service

First engaged in battle at Hilton Head S.C.
also participated in other engagements at Fort Polack, Fort Wagner S.C., Drury's Bluff
Va. and Petersburg Va.

Names of intimate comrades are Charles Maul, Herman
Pipenbring, John Bicklee.

Most important events in service were engagements at
Fort Wagner S.C. and Drury's Bluff Va

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I verily believe

Date Signed
We certify that Comrade Charles P. Kehl joined Charles C. Smith
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County of

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State of

A.D. 18

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Joseph E Lloyd

Who was born the

Nestfield

County of Hampden

Day of

State of Mass

A.D. 1840 in

Entered the service Aug 20th 1862 as Private in Co E 46th Regt M.V.M.

Promoted during service to rank of Sergeant.

Discharged July 20th 1863 by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Joseph E Lloyd

Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C Smith

Jan 14 1886

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Carl Herman Lippman

Who was born the Second day of July A.D. 1838 in
Wildenfels County of Saxen State of Germany

First entered the service Sept 20th 1861 at Springfield Mass as Private in Co K 27th
Reg Mass Infantry.

was discharged in same rank in Dec 1863 at Norfolk Va by reason
of re-enlistment. finally discharged June 5th 1865 at Annapolis Md by reason of expiration
of term of service.

Was first engaged in battle at Roanoke Island N.C. subsequently at
Newbern N.C. Washington N.C. Gum Swamp Bachelors Creek Malthall Junction Va.
Arrowfield Church Va. Drury's Bluff Va. Southwest Creek N.C.

Was taken prisoner at
Drury's Bluff May 16-1864 by Beauregard's army. Confined in prison at Richmond
Va until May 23rd and at Andersonville from June 1st to Sept- 1864. at Savannah to
Oct. Miller ill in Ga. to Nov 19th 1864. was exchanged on that date. and recaptured
at Southwest Creek N.C. March 8-1865. paroled at Richmond Va March 26th 1865.

Most important event in the service was lying between the fire of our men
and the rebels at the battle of Southwest Creek. with a sprained ankle.

I claim as being the last man captured of the 27th Reg.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Carl Herman Lippman joined Charles C Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts January 1886 Held Offices of

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Nathan Loveland

Who was born the day of A.D. 1842 in

Marshfield County of State of Vermont

Entered the service Dec 18th 1863 as Private in Co E. 7th Vermont Cavalry.

Discharged Aug 9th 1865 by reason of General Order 168. Close of war.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date Signed

We certify that Comrade Nathan Loveland Joined Charles C. Smith

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade J. Austin Lyman
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1829 in
South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Mass.

Entered the service Aug 11th 1862 as 2nd Lieut in Co D. 34th Regt M & M
Discharged June 7th 1863 by reason of resignation.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date _____

Signed _____

We certify that Comrade *J. Austin Lyman* joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts April 15 1889 Held Offices of _____

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade William H. Moody

Who was born the Fifteenth day of May A.D. 1844 in
South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered the service Sept 20th 1861 at Springfield Mass as Private in Co. D. 27th Regt
Mass Vol Infantry.

was discharged in same rank Sept 27th 1864 at Springfield Mass
by reason of expiration of term of service

First engaged in battle at Roanoke Island N.C.
and subsequently at Newbern, Gum Swamp, Siege of Washington 18 days,
Arrowfield Church, Va. Drury's Bluff Va. front of Petersburg Va.
Confined in hospital at Newbern and Beaufort N.C.

Names of intimate comrades
are G M Coleman, J E Nash, G E Pettingill.

Most important event in service being Siege
of Washington N.C. (where the Confederates had ten men to our one), and other
events. At Roanoke Island ^{service} on a Gunboat during the Naval battle, at Washington detailed
second on a 32 Gun, later in the service detailed to the hospital of the Regt, then
to the field hospital of the 18th Corps, and I can say right here that caring for wounded
men on the ground, is the hardest work I ever did in my life

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date *Signed*

We certify that Comrade William H. Moody *Joined Charles C. Smith*
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade George B. Mullen

Who was born the
Mt. Holly Springs County ofday of
State of Penn

A.D. 1839 in

Entered the service June 10th 1861 as Private in Co I 1st Penn Res
Discharged Jan 5th 1863 by reason of disabilityI certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade George B. Mullen joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Jan 14th 1886 Held Offices of

Adjutant

Commander

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CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,
DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Andrew M^c Elwain
Who was born the day of A.D. 1832 in
County of State of Ireland

Entered the service Jan'y 2^o 1864 as Private in Co G. 4th Regt M.V.M.
Promoted during service to rank of Corporal.
Discharged Nov 14^o 1865 by reason of close of war.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.
Date Signed

We certify that Comrade Andrew M^c Elwain joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts July 20^o 1891 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Thomas Mullen

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1846 in _____
 County of _____ State of Ireland

Entered the service in 1861 as Private in Co B 17th N.Y. Vol Inf.
 Discharged in July 1865 by reason of close of war.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe

Date _____

Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Thomas Mullen joined Charles C. Smith
 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Sept 21 1891 Held Offices of _____

Adjutant _____

Commander _____

1861. HEADQUARTERS 1865.

CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,

DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade James S. Moffett

Who was born the day of A.D. 1837 in

Pascoag County of State of Rhode Island

Entered the service Aug 1st 1861 as Private in Co I. 2nd R.I. Regt.

Promoted during service to rank of Corporal.

Discharged Aug 1st 1864 by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date Signed

We certify that Comrade James S. Moffett joined Charles C. Smith

Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts June 27 1898 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade

Who was born the

County of

day of
State of

A.D. 18 in

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade
Post No. *Department of*

Joined

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

DEPARTMENT OF

MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF

THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade Frank Otto

Who was born the Twenty seventh day of October A.D. 1866 in
County of Tazany State of Germany

First entered the service May 11th 1861 at Boston Mass as private in Co G. 2nd Regt Mass
Vol Infantry.

Was promoted in second year of service to rank of Sergeant. First discharged
the 10th day of May 1864 at Boston Mass. by reason of expiration of term of service.
Reenlisted, and finally discharged the fourth day of April 1866 at Washington D.C.
by reason of expiration of term of service.

Was first engaged in battle at Winchester Va.
and subsequently at Cedar Mountain Va, Antietam Md, Chancellorsville Va. and
Rappahannock Va.

was confined in hospital at Annapolis Md. in 1864, never wounded
or taken prisoner.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Frank Otto
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C Smith
January 14th 1886 Held Offices of

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

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MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC
PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Patrick O'Gara
 Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1839 in
 County of _____ State of Ireland

Entered the service Sept 20th 1862 as Private in Co F 22nd Conn Regt
 Discharged June 16th 1865 (a Freeman in USN) by reason of close of war.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe

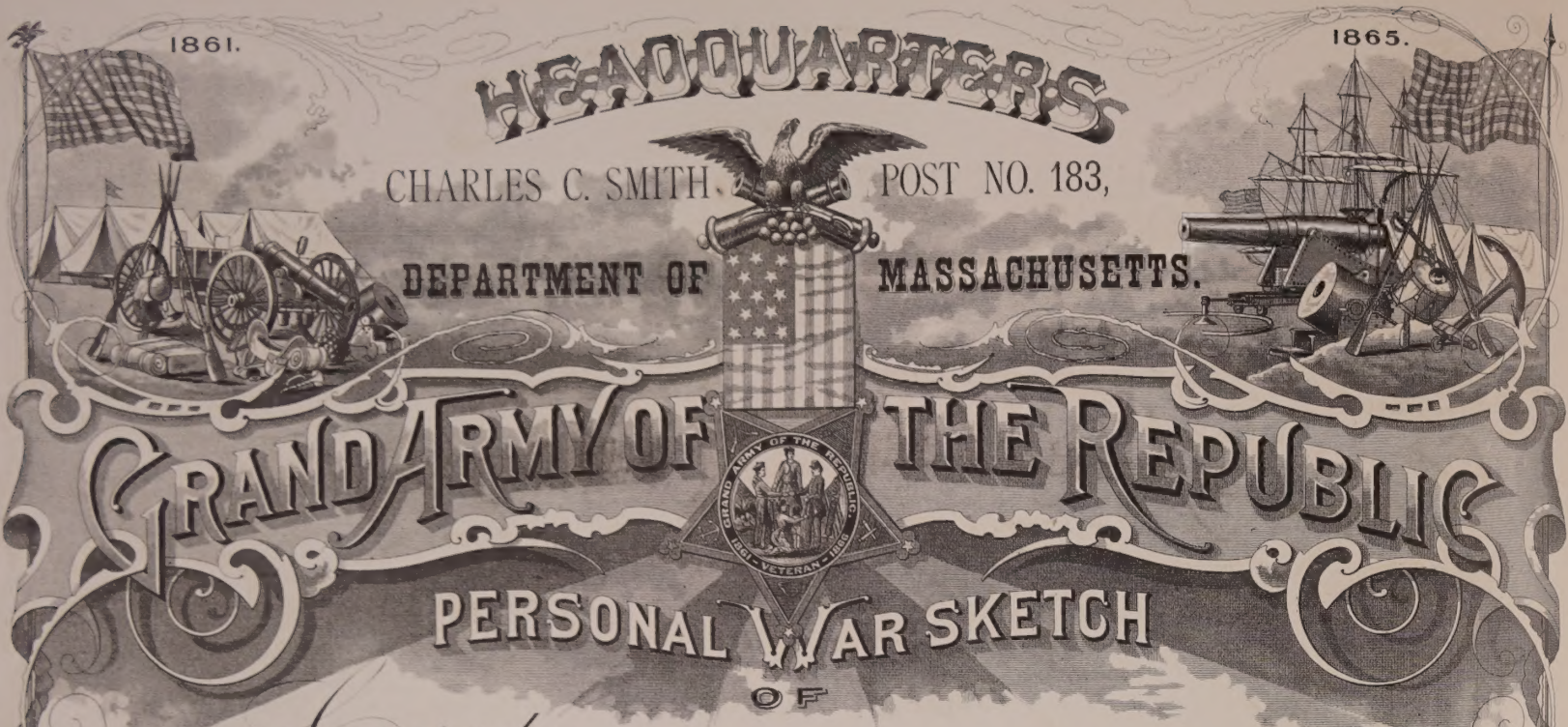
Date _____

Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Patrick O'Gara
 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts
 Joined Charles C. Smith
 Jan 14 1886 Held Offices of _____

Adjutant _____

Commander _____



Comrade
Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 18* *in* _____
County of _____ *State of* _____

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe _____
Date _____ *Signed* _____
We certify that Comrade _____ *Joined* _____ *Held Offices of* _____
Post No. _____ *Department of* _____

1861.

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1865.

CHARLES C. SMITH

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MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade

Who was born the

County of

day of

State of

A.D. 18

in

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Date

Signed

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Held Offices of

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF
Comrade Charles E. Presby

Who was born the First day of April A.D. 1835 in
Bradford County of Merrimack State of New Hampshire

First entered service April 20th 1861 at Boston Mass as Private in Boston Light Artillery
promoted Sept. 5. 1861 to rank of Sergeant. first discharged Aug. 3 1861 at Boston. By
reasons of expiration of term of service.

Reenlisted Sept 5 1861 in Martons Mass Battery
finally discharged Sept 16. 1864 at Boston by reasons of expiration of term of service.
was first engaged in battle at Yorktown Va. subsequently at Manassas G. Va. Fairbault Va
Williamsburg Va, Savage Station Va, Malvern Hill Va, Antietam Md, Fredericksburg Va,
Chancellorsville Va, Alder, Gettysburg Pa. Wilderness, Shady Grove Church Pa, Spotsylvania Va
North Anna Va, Petersburg Va. Weldon Rail Road and other slight engagements with 6th
Corps. Confined in Basewood hospital at Washington.

Intimate comrades John Sennott, Henry Maynes, William Noel, Lieut. Dunbar,
Sgt. Tom Turner, Sgt. Colloff, Lieut. G. V. Ongeobly, Lieut. A. Walcott,

Most important event in service, battle of Gettysburg.

The first three months in service
we were engaged in opening communication with Washington taking possession of
Baltimore under Gen. Butter. At the second battle of Bull Run, was detailed to go with
forage train to Aquia Creek in connection with Gen. Griffin's train, were cut off by
Rebel Cavalry and forced to take protection under cover of gunboats at the creek
and from there had to take transports for Washington. During all our supplies and
arriving the day after the battle the army being in full retreat.
this accounts for not mentioning in the list of engagements, the second battle of Bull Run.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Charles E. Presby
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts
Joined Charles C. Smith
April 15th 1889 Held Offices of

Adjutant.

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Edwin G. Pierce

Who was born the nineteenth day of April, A.D. 1843 in
Belchertown County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the Service Sept 14th 1861 as Private in Co G 27th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged July 16th 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

Enlisted Sept 14, 1861 as private in Co G, 27th Mass. Inf. which was
assigned to Foster's 1st Brigade of Burnside's Corps and took part in
the Burnside Expedition to North Carolina. Discharged at Washington
D.C. March 1, 1862 by reason of disability.

Reenlisted Dec. 26, 1863 as private in Co B, 56th Mass. (First Veteran)
Volunteer Inf. taking part in the engagements at the Wilderness,
Mud River, Spotsylvania, North Anna, Shady Grove, Bethesda Church,
Cold Harbor and a number of other skirmishes and engagements.

Was captured at Cold Harbor June 2, 1864 and taken to
Libby Prison, Richmond Va., thence to Andersonville, Ga., to Savannah,
to Blackshire Station, to Charleston, to Florence, S.C.

Paroled Dec. 13, 1864. Exchanged at Annapolis, Md. and rejoined
regiment about April 1865 at Berkshire Station Va.

Was at all other times with command and was promoted
to Corporal for faithful and meritorious service.

Received a final discharge at Readville, Mass. July 12, 1865, by
reason of close of the war.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Edwin G. Pierce
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
Jan 14 1886 Held Offices of

Adjutant.

Commander.

1861.



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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade

Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 18* *in*

County of _____ *State of* _____

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I verily believe.

Date _____ *Signed* _____

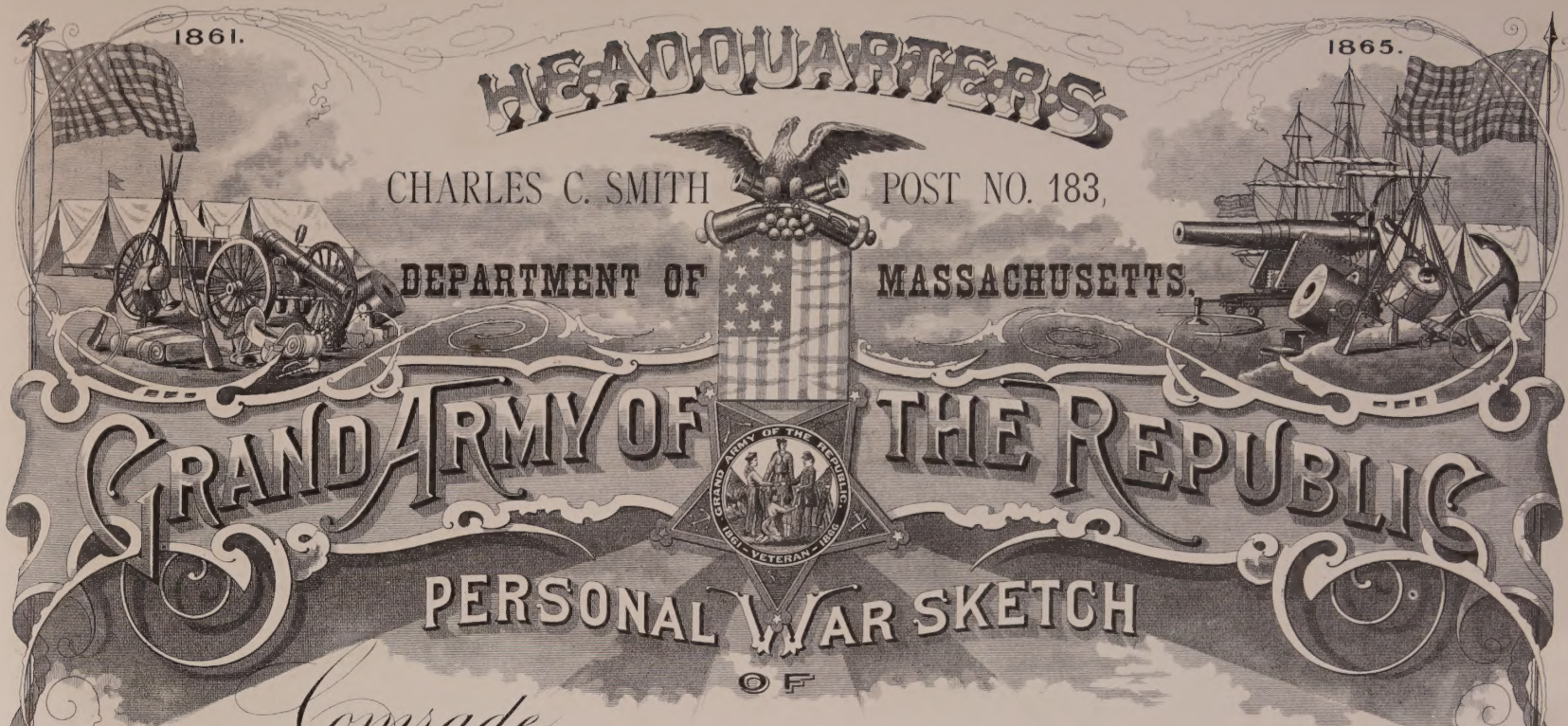
We certify that Comrade _____ *Joined* _____ *Held Offices of*

Post No. _____ *Department of* _____

Adjutant.



Commander.



Comrade
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18 _____ in
County of _____ State of _____

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Date _____ Signed _____
We certify that Comrade _____ Joined _____
Post No. _____ Department of _____ Held Offices of _____

Adjutant

Commander

1861. HEADQUARTERS 1865.

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DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Lewis E Robinson

Who was born the day of A.D. 1831 in
Chicopee County of Hampden State of Mass

Entered the service Aug 9th 1862 as Private in Co D. 27th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged Sept 27th 1864 by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe
Date Signed
We certify that Comrade Lewis E Robinson joined Charles C Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Feb 15 1886 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

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OF

Comrade
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 County of _____ State of _____

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Date _____

Signed _____

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 Post No. _____ Department of _____

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Adjutant _____

Commander _____

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CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,
DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Thomas Van Riper

Who was born the Seventeenth day of November A.D. 1839 in
New York City County of State of New York

First entered the service April 20 1861 at New York City, as Private in Co. C. 8th
Regt New York S.M. Promoted to rank of Corporal about July 1st 1862.

First discharged Aug 20 - 1861 at New York City. Reenlisted May 29th 1862 and
discharged Sept 7 - 1862 at New York City by reason of expiration of term of service.

First engagement in service was at the first battle of Bull Run.

Most intimate comrades were Wm J Holmes, A J Curran, John T Curran.

Most important event in the service being the first battle of Bull Run.

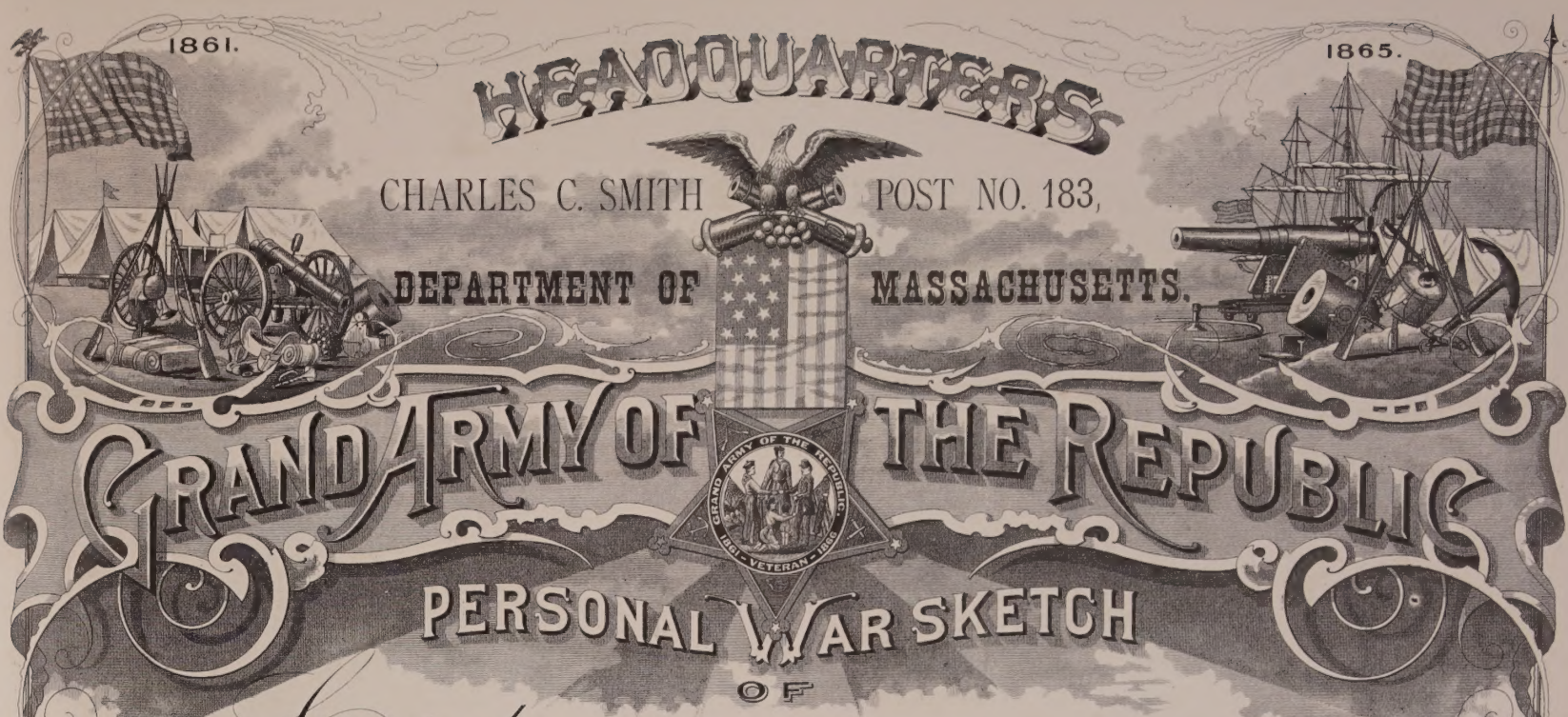
I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Thomas Van Riper joined Charles C Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts May 16 1892 Held Offices of _____

Adjutant _____ Commandant _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH OF

Comrade
Who was born the _____ day of _____
County of _____ State of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe _____
Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade _____
Post No. _____ Department of _____
Joined _____ 18__ Held Offices of _____

Adjutant

Commander

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CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,
DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH
OF

Comrade
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____
County of _____ State of _____

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe _____
Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade _____
Post No. _____ Department of _____
Joined _____ 18__ Held Offices of _____

Adjutant _____ Commanded _____

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade

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County of

day of

State of

A.D. 18

in

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date

Signed

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Joined

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Commander.

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade William A. Smith

Who was born the Twenty fourth day of February A.D. 1825 in
Granby County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered the Service Aug 25-1862 at Greenfield Mass. as third Sergeant
in Co. H. 52nd N.Y.M. holding same rank during service was discharged
Aug 14-1863 at Greenfield. by reason of expiration of term of service

First engaged in battle at Indian Pond. Subsequently at Fort Hudson.
A few most intimate comrades were Sergt H. Weston Smith, Sergt S. Dwight
Kellogg, and Sergt Lewis B. Hooker.

Most important event in service was taking
of Fort Hudson.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade *Wm A Smith*
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined *Charles C Smith*
January 14 1886 Held Offices of

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Commander.

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DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Robert Morrison Smith

Who was born the Tenth day of September A.D. 1838 in
Granby County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

First entered the service July 31st 1862 at Worcester Mass as Private in Co K 34th M.V.M.
Promoted to rank of Corporal July 1863, again to rank of Sergeant in Jan'y 1864.
discharged June 15 1865 at Annapolis Md. by reason of expiration of term of service.
Transferred from hospital at Parole camp to Provost-guard duty at Annapolis City in Dec 1864.
First engagement in battle at Newmarket Va. again at Piedmont Va. and was there
disabled for further field duty. wounded at Newmarket May 15-1864. Confined in hospital
at Fredericksburg Md in June 1864.

Enlisted with Dr C B Smith and Surgeon, Wm B Black,
and Chapin Warner, all of Granby.

Most important event in service. Marching up and
down the Shenandoah Valley.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Robert Morrison Smith joined Charles C Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts May 6th 1889 Held Offices of

Adjutant.
Commander.

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HEADQUARTERS

CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

DEPARTMENT OF

MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC
PERSONAL WAR SKETCHOF
Comrade William Smith

Who was born the 20th day of June A.D. 1830 in
South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

Entered the service Oct 13th 1861 at Baltimore Md. as member of 7th Maine
Volunteer Regimental Bands.

Enlisted for three years service but was discharged
(after four months service) Feb 26th 1862. at Camp Griffin Va. by reason of
General Order to muster out all bands but one in a brigade, and the lot fell
to our band to be one of those mustered out

Most intimate comrades in the
service were E. D. Ingraham, Band Master; Albert Ingraham, Daniel Meyers,
and Ben Harkins.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade William Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
June 2nd 1890 Held Offices of

Adjutant.

Commander.



Comrade Charles Spooner
Who was born the 19th day of February A.D. 1837 in
Granby County of Hampshire State of Massachusetts

Entered the service Sept 1st 1862 at Granby Mass. as Private in Co H 52nd Regt
M.V.M.

Discharged Aug 14th 1863 at Greenfield Mass. by reason of expiration of term of
service.

First engaged in battle at Indian Bend. Subsequently at Port Hudson.
Intimate comrades were Co H Bates, Wm A. Smith John Tilley, S. H. Taylor,
S. B. Dickerson, D. Morgan, E. Hunt S. G. Smith.

Was never sick or went to Surgeon's call.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date _____ *Signed* _____

We certify that Comrade Charles Spooner *Joined Charles C. Smith*
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts *January 14th 1886* *Held Offices of*

Adjutant.

Commander.

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CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,
DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Charles F. Smith

Who was born the *day of* *A.D. 1842 in*
Biddeford County of *State of Maine.*

Entered the service Sept 10th 1862 as Private in Co F 27th Maine Regt
Promoted during service to rank of Corporal.
Discharged July 17th 1863 by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
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Date *Signed*
We certify that Comrade Charles F. Smith joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Jan 14 1886 Held Offices of

Adjutant. *Commander.*

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Joseph Suhanek

Who was born the day of A.D. 1844 in
Bohemia County of State of Germany

Entered the service Aug 18th 1862 as Private in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.
Discharged Aug 14th 1863 by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe
Date Signed
We certify that Comrade Joseph Suhanek Joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts May 24th 1886 Held Offices of

Adjutant. Commander.

1861. HEADQUARTERS 1865.

CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Edward S. Stockwell

Who was born the day of A.D. 1834 in
Boston County of State of Mass

Entered the service July 22nd 1861 as Private in Co E. 20th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged July 4th 1863 by reason of disability

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe
Date Signed

We certify that Comrade Edward S. Stockwell joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Nov 20 1899 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH
OF

Comrade
 Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____
 County of _____ State of _____

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe

Date _____

Signed _____

We certify that Comrade
 Post No. _____ Department of _____

Joined _____ 18__ Held Offices of _____

Adjutant _____

Commander _____

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CHARLES C. SMITH POST NO. 183,
DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Joel Selden Walkley

Who was born the 12th day of August A.D. 1833 in
North Madison County of State of Connecticut

Entered the service Sept 8, 1862 at Springfield Mass as Private in Co H 46th
Mass. Vol. Infantry. Promoted Sept 9th to rank of 1st Sergeant Discharged July 29th 1863
at Springfield Mass. by reason of expiration of term of service. First engaged in battle
at Kinston N.C. Dec 14th 1862, at Whitehall Dec 16, at Goldsboro Dec 17, and at
Gum Swamp N.C. May 22 1863.

Most intimate comrades were Sigt Myron S Barton,
Sigt Wm F Carter, and Corp Charles E Davis.

Most important events in service were
enlistment and discharge

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Joel Selden Walkley joined Charles C Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts January 14th 1886 Held Offices of _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC
PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Henry Orlando Waite

Who was born the Seventh day of March A.D. 1840 in
Stephentown County of State of New YorkFirst entered the service Aug 17th 1861 (for three years) in Cavendish Vt. Mustered at Brattleboro Vt.
Sept 20th 1861 as Private in Co B 4th Regt Vermont Vols.

Promoted to rank of Corporal Sept

20th 1862. Sergt Dec 6th 1864. Ord Sergt May 22 1865. Rank at close of war. 1st SergtFirst discharged Dec 15th 1863 by reason of re-entitlement. Finally discharged July 13th 1865.at Kells Hill Va by order from War Dept dated July 7th 1865.

First engaged in battle at

Lee Mill, subsequently at Williamsburg, Golden's Farm, Savage Station White Oak
Swamp, Crumptions Pass, Antietam, Fredericksburg, Mary's Heights, Salem Church,
Winchester, Fishers Hill, Cedar Creek, and Petersburg,
Banks Ford, Gettysburg, Funkstown, Rappahannock,

Campbell

Wounded at Wilderness May 5th 1863.

Confined in hospital Washington D.C.

Most intimate comrades. Officers and Privates

of Fourth Vermont Regt. Most important events in my service 1st when I enlisted,
2nd when Lee surrendered, 3rd when I was discharged.The following are other events in connection with military service. Over my cot at
hospital hung following card "Campbell Hospital No 2227, Bed 31, Name, Henry
O Waite, age 24. Nationality American. Married or single? Single. Residence, West
Stephentown N.Y. I.O address Mrs Laura H Waite. Gunshot wound in left leg below
knee. On what occasion wounded? Wilderness, Date May 5th 1863. name of missile or
weapon. Minnie Ball. when admitted May 14th. from what source, front."Participated in charge at Petersburg and following of Lee's army as far as Farmville
where the Vermont brigade was detailed for guard duty. so was not with the corps
when Lee surrendered.I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Henry O Waite joined Charles C Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts April - - 1890 Held Offices of

Transferred to Post 71 May 18 1896

Adjutant.

Commander.

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

DEPARTMENT OF

MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Horace A. Walters

Who was born the Eleventh day of September A.D. 1837 in

Burke County of Iowa State of Vermont

Entered the service Sept 24th 1861 at Springfield Mass as Private in Co. F 27th Mass Vol Inf. Served as Wagoner, being promoted to Wagon Master July 28th 1863.

Discharged Sept 27th 1864 at Springfield Mass. by reason of expiration of term of service

Was first engaged in battle at Roanoke Island N.C. also at Newbern Beaufort, Washington, Roanoke, Kinston, Whitehall, Goldberg, and Morehead City N.C. at Petersburg, Gold Harbor and Druys Bluff Va.

Had my back hurt June 16, 1863.

Names of most intimate comrades were Aaron F. Baldwin, Frank Bartlett, Cornelius Field, Leon Holmes, Leon Woods, James P. Little.

There were eight men under my charge, left on a barge with horses, we embarked from Whitehouse Landing, being towed by a transport, the tow-line parted, and we were left to drift with the current until we ran aground, and remained there four days before we were rescued, the last two days our provisions consisted one hard tack per day. we were very glad when we landed at Bermuda Hundred Va.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade Horace A. Walters

Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith

May 14th 1886 Held Offices of _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Peter Melcher
Who was born the day of A.D. 1842 in
County of State of Germany

Entered the service Aug 9th 1863 as Landsman Co A 1st U.S.S.
Promoted to rank of Corporal during service.
Discharged Mar 29th 1864 by reason of wounds.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date Signed
We certify that Comrade Peter Melcher
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts
Mar 30th 1886
Joined Charles C. Smith
Held Offices of

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Commander.

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH
OF

Comrade Thomas White

Who was born the day of A.D. 1841 in
South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service Sept 12th 1862 as Private in Co F 44th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged June 18th 1863 by reason of expiration of term of service.

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We certify that Comrade *Thomas White* joined *Charles C. Smith*
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade David B. West

Who was born the

North Troy

County of

day of

State of Vermont

A.D. 1839 in

Entered the service July 25th 1862 as Private in Co D. 34th Regt. M.V.N.

Discharged June 16th 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

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Date

Signed

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Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith

Sept 12 1892

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Commander.

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade
Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 18* *in* _____
County of _____ *State of* _____

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Adjutant. _____ *Commander.* _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade
Who was born the _____ *day of* _____ *A.D. 18* *in* _____
County of _____ *State of* _____

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I verily believe.

Date _____ *Signed* _____

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Commander.

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DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Sylvester K. Taylor

Who was born the day of A.D. 1834 in

Granby County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service Aug 5th 1862 as Private in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Discharged Aug 14th 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe.

Date Signed

We certify that Comrade Sylvester K. Taylor joined Charles C. Smith Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Jan 14th 1886 Held Offices of

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THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Lewis Jacey

Who was born the

Kirby

County of

day of

State of New York

A.D. 1836 in

Entered the service Oct 6th 1864 as Private in Co A 1st N.Y. Cavalry.

Discharged May 20th 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

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Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Lewis Jacey
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
Aug 21 1911 Held Offices of

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CHARLES C. SMITH

POST NO. 183,

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade J. B. Cutting

Who was born the
Worcester

County of

City of
State of Mass

A.D. 1844 in

Entered the service in June 1861 as Private in Co G. 18th Mass. Vol. Inf.
was discharged in June 1865 a musician in Co G. 32nd Regt. M. & M. by reason of
expiration of three four years term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade J. B. Cutting

Post No. 183

Department of Massachusetts

Joined Charles C. Smith
Jan 14 1886 Held Offices of

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Charles C. Smith

Who was born the

day of

A.D. 1839 in

Bangor

County of

State of Maine

*Entered the service Dec 19th 1861 as Private in Co B 15th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged March 2nd 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service*

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Charles C. Smith

*joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts Dec 19th 1887 Held Offices of*

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Commander.

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade A. J. Chapin

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1826 in
North Portland County of _____ State of Vermont

Entered the service Oct 1st 1861 as Corporal in Co H 27th Regt M.V.M.
Discharged May 22nd 1863 by reason of disability

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I verily believe _____
Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade A. J. Chapin _____
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April 15 1889 Held Offices of _____

Adjutant _____ Commanded _____

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Joseph N. Clark

Who was born the Fifteenth day of September A.D. 1840 in
South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Mass

Enlisted July 31st 1862 as Sergeant in Co. I 34th Regt. M.V.M. serving three years.
 Discharged June 13th 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
 I verily believe.

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Joseph N. Clark joined Charles C. Smith
Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts November 3, 1885 Held Offices of

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Commander

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CHARLES C. SMITH

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Charles Galkins

Who was born the day of A.D. 1848 in

Westhampton County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service in Sept 1861 as Private in Co G 31st Regt M V M serving 4

years was discharged Sept 9th 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as

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Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade Charles Galkins

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Joined Charles C Smith

May 6th 1889

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC
PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade William I. Balkins
 Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 1838 in
 Salmer County of Hampden State of Mass

Entered the service July 13th 1863 as Private in Co. B. 2nd Mass Artillery serving 2
 years was discharged Sept 3rd 1865 by reason of expiration of term of service.

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We certify that Comrade William I. Balkins joined Charles C. Smith
 Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts May 6th 1889 Held Offices of _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Patrick Campbell

Who was born the day of A.D. 1834 in
Dublin County of State of Ireland

Entered the service in April 1861 as Private in Co K 15th Regt M.V.M. serving
20 months was discharged by reason of wound in leg Dec. 1862

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as
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Date Signed

We certify that Comrade Patrick Campbell joined Charles C. Smith
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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade James B Black

Who was born the

Lee

County of Berkshire

day of

State of Mass

A.D. 1829 in

Entered the service in April 1864 as Seaman at Philadelphia Pa. serving 18 months was discharged in Oct 1865 at Florida by reason of expiration of term of service.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date

Signed

We certify that Comrade James B Black

Post No. 183 Department of Massachusetts

Nov 16

1899

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH
OF

Comrade
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18 _____ in
County of _____ State of _____

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrades Residents of South Hadley
Who was born the day of A.D. 18 in
County of State of
who enlisted for service in the Civil War, as contained in a record kept by
the Town.

W. J. Abbott. was a volunteer in Co. G 37th Regt. M.V.M.

Horace Akers. A volunteer in Co. I 27th Regt. M.V.M.

Michael Brew. A native of Ireland was a volunteer in the 10th Regt.

Morris Brick. A volunteer in Co. I 10th Regt. M.V.M.

Edward Brick. A volunteer in Co. I 10th Regt. M.V.M.

James Burnham. A volunteer in the 21st Regt. M.V.M.

Peter Baum. A native of Germany, was a volunteer in Co. I 34th Regt.

Charles Bishop. A volunteer in Co. I 37th Regt. M.V.M.

John Prentiss Beckwith was born in Charleston N.H. A volunteer in Co. H 52nd Regt. M.V.M. was in camp a few days at Greenfield when his Regiment was ordered South. They were detained in New York for lack of suitable transport. he was taken sick on board the transport steamer Illinois. after about one week of suffering he died on the 2nd day of Dec 1862. aged 39 years 6 months and 29 days. This being the first death among the volunteers who enlisted from South Hadley. His remains were brought to South Hadley Falls for interment.

Charles E. Bonway. A volunteer in Co. H 52nd Regt. M.V.M.

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Date

Signed

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DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Henry M Blackmer

Who was born the day of A.D. 18 in
Ware County of Hampshire State of Mass

Entered the service in August 1862 a volunteer in the 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Edwin M Bennett Enlisted in August 1862 in 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Henry Edward Bates was born in South Hadley. Enlisted in August 1862
in Co H 52nd Regt M.V.M. was appointed 4th Corporal before leaving camp at
Greenfield

Henry Bischoff was born in Germany. A volunteer in Co G 11th Conn

Edwin G Bailey A volunteer in the 4th Mass Artillery

Albert J. Chapin A volunteer in Co K 27th Regt M.V.M.

Joseph Newton Clark Born Sept 15th 1840 in South Hadley.
Enlisted in Co I 34th Regt M.V.M.

George M Coombs A native of Ireland. Enlisted in Co J. 34th Regt M.V.M.

Richard Clark. A native of Ireland. Enlisted in 34th Regt M.V.M.

William M Clark. A volunteer in Co K 37th Regt M.V.M.

Henry A Clark A volunteer in Co F 44th Regt M.V.M.

William E Congdon A volunteer in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Eugene M Clapp, aged 18. Enlisted in Aug 1862 in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

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PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18____ in _____ County of _____ State of _____
 Lowell M. Chandler aged 22. Enlisted Aug 1862. in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

T A Church A volunteer in Co G 27th Regt M.V.M.

Charles E Dix A native of Germany. A volunteer under Capt Richard Barry in Co G 2nd Regt M.V.M.

Henry Melancthon Day. Born April 16-1841 in Hadley Mass. Entered service at Springfield Oct 9th 1861 in Co G 27th Regt M.V.M. was with his Regiment at capture of Roanoke Island. discharged at Newbern NC in Sept 1862 by reason of disability.

Henry Doebrck Born in Germany. A volunteer in Co F 37th Regt M.V.M.

James Edwards A volunteer in the 8th Conn Regt

George F Enderton A volunteer in Co F 37th Regt M.V.M.

Naram W Forbes A volunteer in Co K. Capt Joseph P Rice. 21st Regt M.V.M.

Robert Goodbeer Born in Germany. A volunteer in Co G. Capt Richard Barry 2nd Regt

Francis D. Gleason A volunteer in Co K. Capt Walter G Bartholomew 27th Regt M.V.M.

Lewis Gleason A volunteer in Co K, Capt Bartholomew. 27th Regt M.V.M.

Philip Ganderman Born in Germany. Enlisted Aug 1862. at 18 years of age in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

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OF

Comrade

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____
County of _____ State of _____

Christopher Gauderman Born in Germany. Enlisted Aug 1862 at 20 years of age
in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

George H Gordon Enlisted Aug 1863, aged 34 years, in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Peter Gilligan Born in ^{England} Stockport. Enlisted August 1862 aged 21 years in Co K
52nd Regt M.V.M.

Warren A Graves aged 18 years. Enlisted August 1862 in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Kenny A Graves aged 19 years. Enlisted August 1862 in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Timothy Garvey A native of Ireland. A volunteer in Co E 31st Regt M.V.M.

James Hayes A native of England. A volunteer in Co I 10th Regt M.V.M.

John Halstead A volunteer in Co I 10th Regt M.V.M.

Oscar Kosmer A volunteer in Co I 10th Regt M.V.M.

Luther Kitchcock Son of Lyman Kitchcock A volunteer in Co E 10th Regt M.V.M.

Charles B Keadley. A volunteer in Co K 27th Regt M.V.M.

Sedgwick Kaven A volunteer in Co D. 31st Regt M.V.M.

George D. Kaven A volunteer in Co I 34th Regt M.V.M.

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OF

Comrade

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____
County of _____ State of _____

Edwin C. Banks A volunteer in Co. F 34th Regt. M.V.M.

Luther A. Harmon Born 1844. A volunteer in Co. B 52nd Regt. M.V.M. Enlisted August 1862

John Koulchan Born in Ireland 1826. Enlisted Aug 1862 in Co. B 52nd Regt. M.V.M.

William Koldfar. Born in Germany. Enlisted in Co. B 11th born Regt.

Emery Dexter Ingraham Born in South Hadley Son of Dexter and Laura Ingraham. At the time of the breaking out of the Rebellion he was residing in Bath Me. following a musical profession. On the 22nd of August 1861 he received a commission as Master of the Band with the rank of 2nd Lieut in the 7th Regiment Maine Volunteers. He with the Band remained in the service about six months - during which time he was for four months physically disabled for duty. On account of the enormous expense of the music the Regimental Bands were ordered to be dispersed with, and by order of the Secretary of War this band was discharged and mustered out of service Feb 26 1862.

Albert Wellington Ingraham was born in South Hadley Nov 26 1833 Son of Dexter and Laura Ingraham.

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Date _____

Signed _____

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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF

Comrade Nathaniel B. Ingraham

Who was born the fourth day of June A.D. 1841 in
 South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Mass
 Son of Dexter and Laura Ingraham

Enlisted Aug 15th 1862 in the 44th Regt. M.V.M. as a private, receiving from
 the town \$100. bounty - was mustered into the service of the United States Sept 12
 1862 for nine months unless sooner discharged. He fought with his company at
 Mill Creek N.H. Sunday Nov 2nd 1862. the battle lasted nine hours and the Rebels
 were defeated. Nov 28th 1862 he was detailed Leader of the Regimental Band.

William Field Ingraham. Son of Dexter and Laura Ingraham was born the
 sixth day of August 1843 in South Hadley County of Hampshire State of Mass.
 He was one of six young men comprising a class in the Sabbath School, all of
 whom together enlisted on the 15th day of August 1862 in Co F 44th Regt. M.V.M.
 receiving from the town \$100. bounty. They were mustered into the service of the
 United States Sept 12-1862. to serve for nine months unless sooner discharged.
 They remained in camp at Readville in the town of Dedham Mass until the
 22nd day of October 1862. when the Regiment was ordered South. They embarked
 on the Steamer — at Boston and arrived at Newbern N.C. Oct 26 1862.
 On Sunday Nov 2nd 1862 was fought the battle of Mill Creek in which young
 Ingraham was engaged with his company as skirmisher. the battle lasted nine
 hours and the Rebels were defeated.

Albert D. Fudd was born in 1843. A volunteer in Co H 52nd Regt. M.V.M.
 Enlisted August 1862.

Oliver Mather Keyes A volunteer in Co G. 10th Regt. M.V.M.

Michael Kenney Born in Ireland. A volunteer in Co A 34th Regt. M.V.M.

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OF

Comrade

Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____

County of _____

State of _____

James Kenney born in Ireland. A Volunteer in Co I 34th Regt M.V.M.Thomas Kenney. born in Ireland in 1841. Enlisted Aug 1862 in Co K 52nd RegtDennis Kilmanay born in 1841 in Ireland. Enlisted Aug 1862 in Co K 52nd RegtKenny W Lamb born in South Hadley Dec 15-1843. Enlisted Aug 18-1862 in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

George Lowell Montague Born Dec 15-1833 in South Hadley. Son of Moses and Rachel Montague

Reuben Miles A volunteer in Co G. 52nd Regt M.V.M.Patrick Murray born in Ireland A volunteer in Co G 27th Regt M.V.M.Josiah Moody born June 20th 1842 in South Hadley. Son of William and Emily Moody.

Jerry Mahoney born in Ireland A volunteer

Charles Leavitt Moody born Oct 5th 1838 in South Hadley. Son of Hovey and Fanny Moody.Lucien Moody born Aug 15th 1845 in South Hadley. Son of Joseph and Louisa Moody.William Marshall born in Ireland A volunteer in Co D 34th Regt M.V.M.

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Date _____

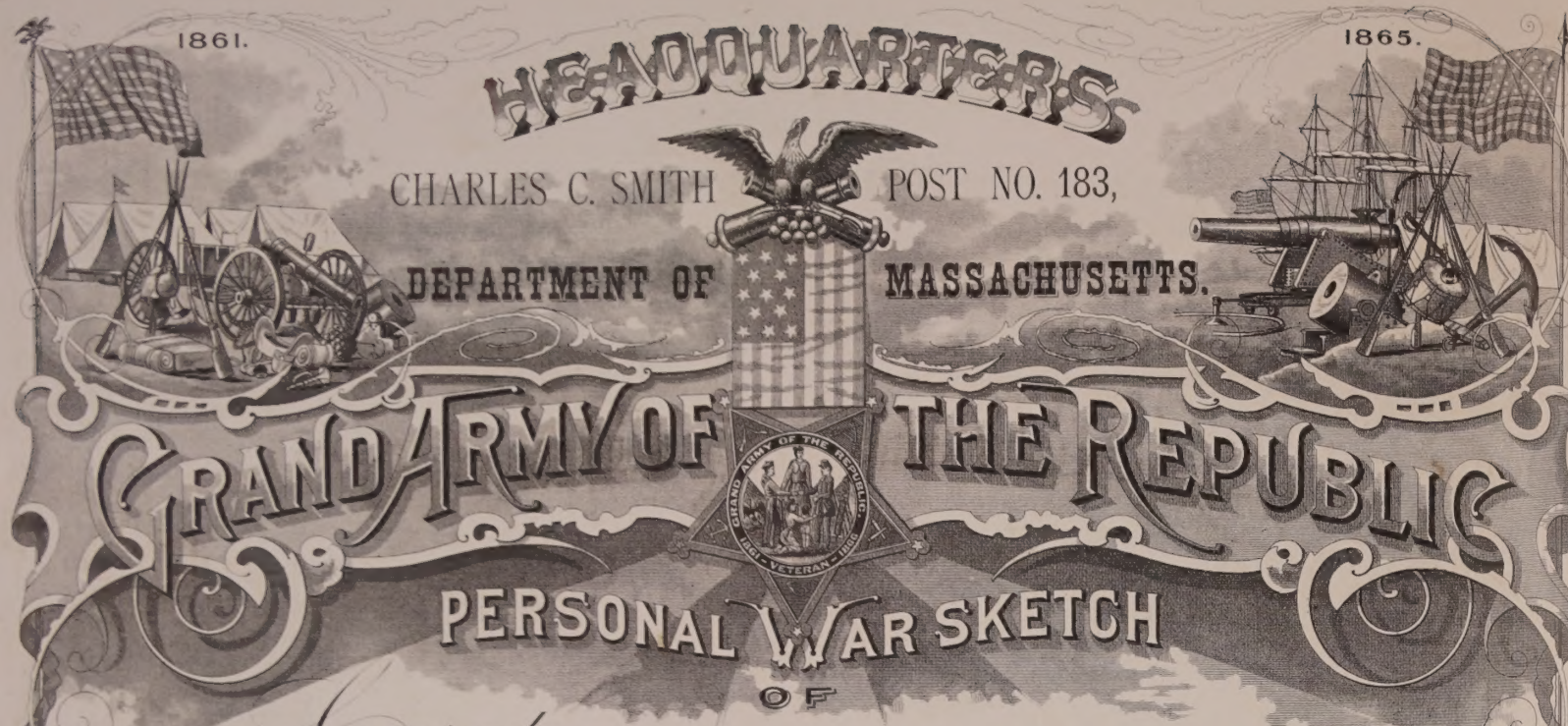
Signed _____

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Commander _____



Comrade
Who was born the _____ day of _____ A.D. 18__ in _____
County of _____ State of _____

- Edward Murphy. Born in Ireland. A volunteer in Co D. 34th Regt M.V.M.
- William H. Mearns. A volunteer in Co F. 37th Regt M.V.M.
- Charles S. Moody. Born Sept 21st 1839 Son of Sydney and Sally Moody.
- Elijah Lyman Moody. Born May 16th 1842 in South Hadley. Son of Sylvanus and Rachel Moody.
- John L. Matthews. A volunteer in the 82nd Penn Regt
- Barlow Newton. A volunteer in Co E 31st Regt M.V.M.
- George Varian Nash. Born May 16th 1845 in South Hadley. Enlisted August 1862 in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.
- Henry A. Oakley. Born in 1840. Enlisted Aug 1862 in Co H 52nd Regt M.V.M. Died at Mound City Ills. Aug 6. 1863 on his passage home from Louisiana.
- Flavius A. Post. Born in 1824. in Lebanon, Holland Co Conn. Enlisted August 8. 1862 in Co F-37th Regt M.V.M. under Capt. Mason W. Tyler.
- George Porter. A volunteer in Co E. 10th Regt M.V.M.
- Neville Powers. A volunteer in Co G. 10th Regt M.V.M.
- Charles H. Parker. Born in England. A volunteer in Co E 31st Regt M.V.M.

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Neville Preston Volunteer in Co F 37th Regt M.V.M.

Edmund R Pearson. Son of Dr William Pearson. Volunteer in Co F 37th Regt M.V.M.

Kelsey Brainerd Philbrick Born 1843. Enlisted Aug 1862 in Co H 52nd Regt M.V.M. was appointed 2nd Corporal before leaving camp at Greenfield.

Albert E Porter. A volunteer in the New York 9th Battery.

Herman Poppe Born in Germany. A volunteer in the New York Artillery.

Warner A Root A volunteer in Co G 2nd Regt M.V.M.

Konrad Rising Born in Germany 1825. Enlisted in Aug 1863 in Co H 52nd Regt M.V.M. Died in June 1864 at Brasher City La.

John E Squires. A volunteer in Co E 10th Regt M.V.M.

John Elliot Snow. Son of Josiah and Mary Snow. A volunteer in Co E 10th Regt M.V.M.

Charles A Stebbins. A volunteer in Co I 34th Regt M.V.M.

Tracey J. Shumway. Born in Belchertown Mass A volunteer in Co I 34th Regt

Nathan C Snow. A volunteer in Co A 37th Regt M.V.M.

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Henry Nestor Smith Born 1827. Enlisted August 1862. in Co K 52nd Regt
M.V.M. was appointed 1st Sergeant

Edward Suhanek. Born in Germany, 1838. Enlisted August 1862 in Co K
52nd Regt M.V.M.

Charles C Smith Born 1843 Enlisted August 1862. in Co K 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Charles Edwin Smith. Born 1843 Enlisted August 1862. in Co K 52nd Regt

Daniel Sullivan. Born in Ireland 1842. Enlisted August 1862. in Co K.
52nd Regt M.V.M.

Alfred H Sinkham. A volunteer in Co E 10th Regt M.V.M.

R B Thorpe. A volunteer in Co A 27th Regt M.V.M.

Dwight B Taylor. A volunteer in Co D. 31st Regt M.V.M.

Henry B Thayer A volunteer in Co K. 52nd Regt M.V.M.

Albert S Methuall. A volunteer in Co E 10th Regt M.V.M.

William Marshall. A volunteer in Co J. 27th Regt M.V.M.

Charles H West. A volunteer in Co D. 34th Regt M.V.M.

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John Wagner. Born in Germany. A volunteer in Co. I 34th Regt. M.V.M.

Davis L. Wetmore. A volunteer in Co. F 37th Regt. M.V.M.

Seth Alonzo Williams Born in Norwich (now Huntington) 1835. Enlisted August 1863 in Co. K 52nd Regt. M.V.M. Commissioned 1st Lieut. Sept. 5, 1863.

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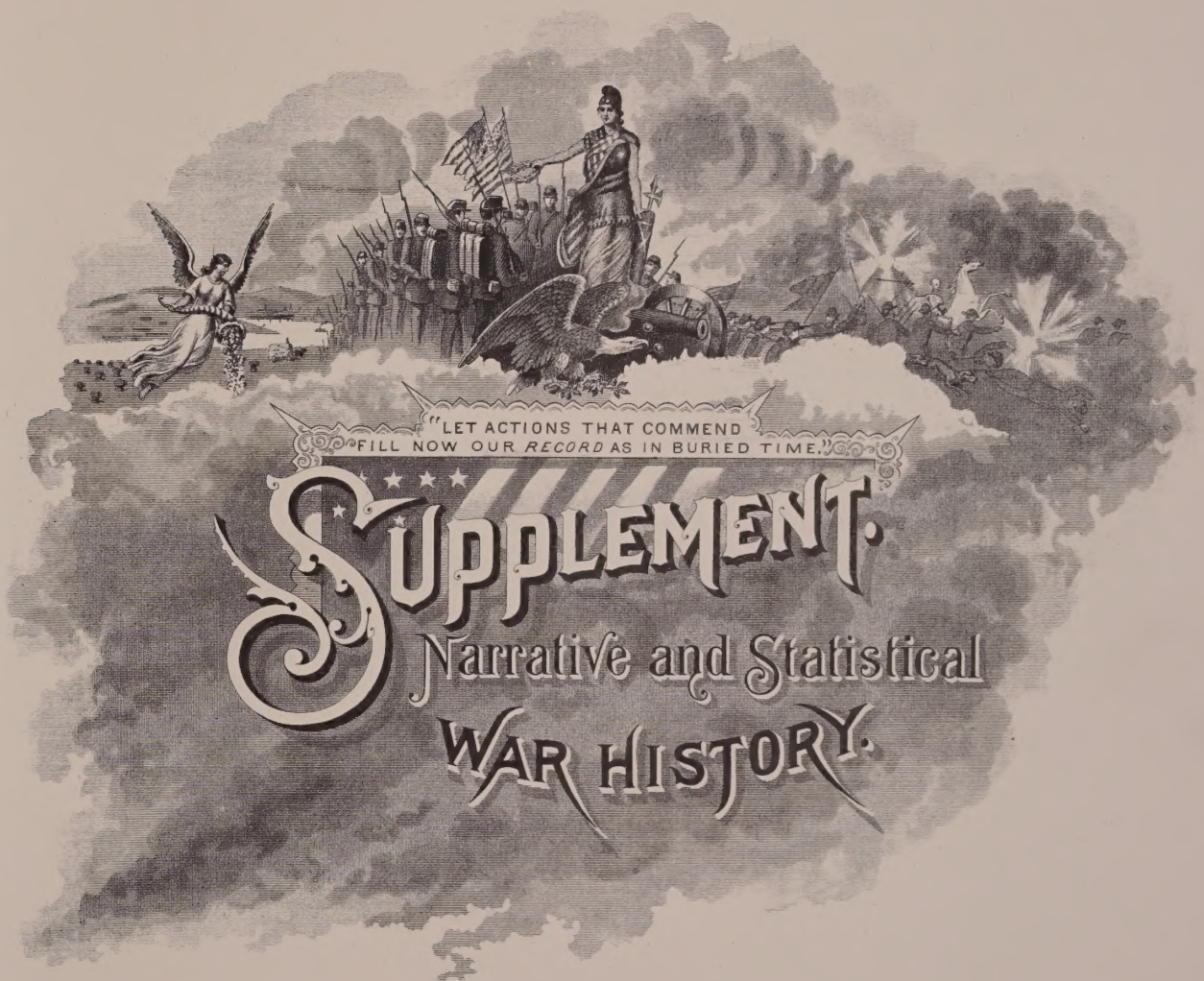
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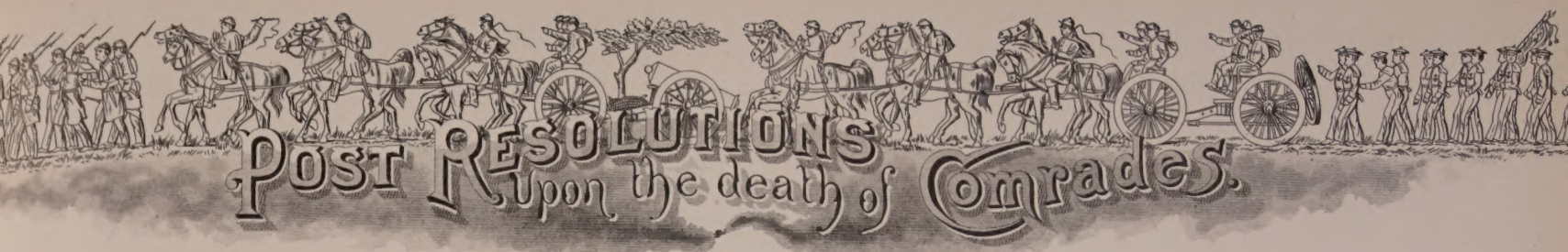




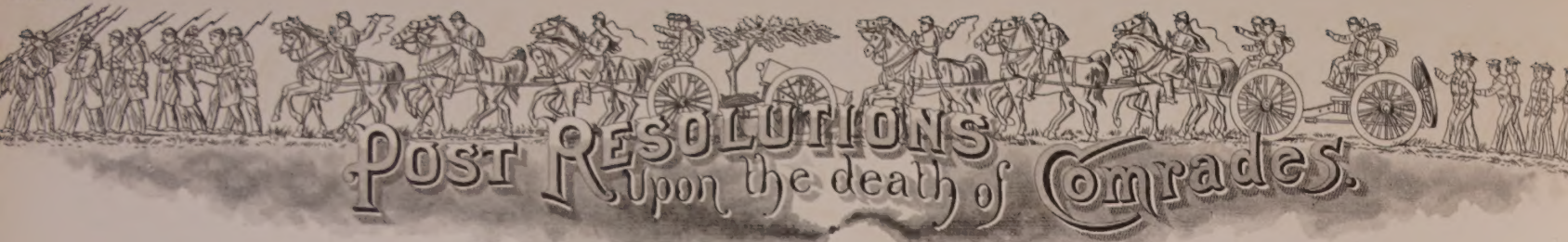








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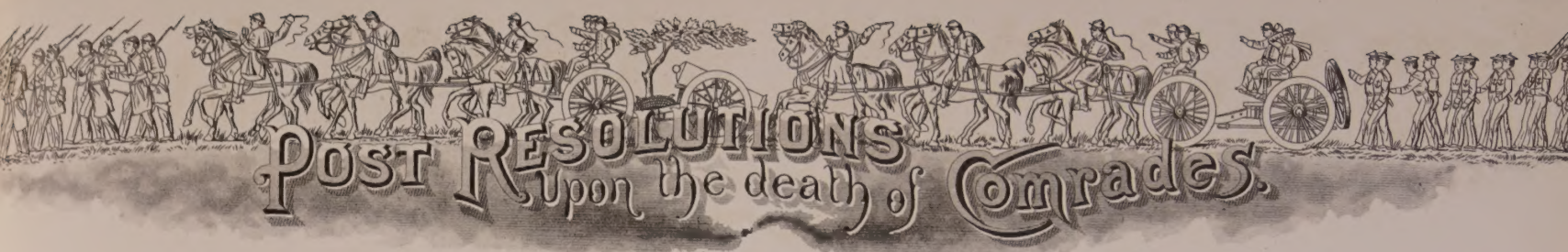


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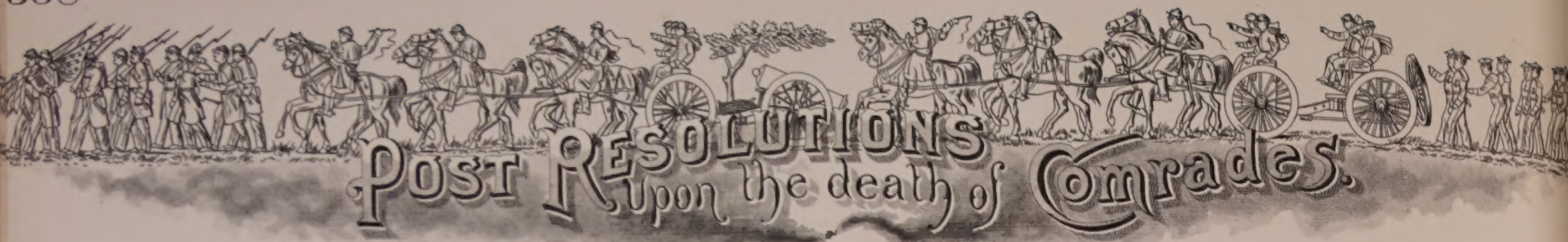
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They sleep who sleep, be they crowned or uncrowned,
And death will be kind to the brave."

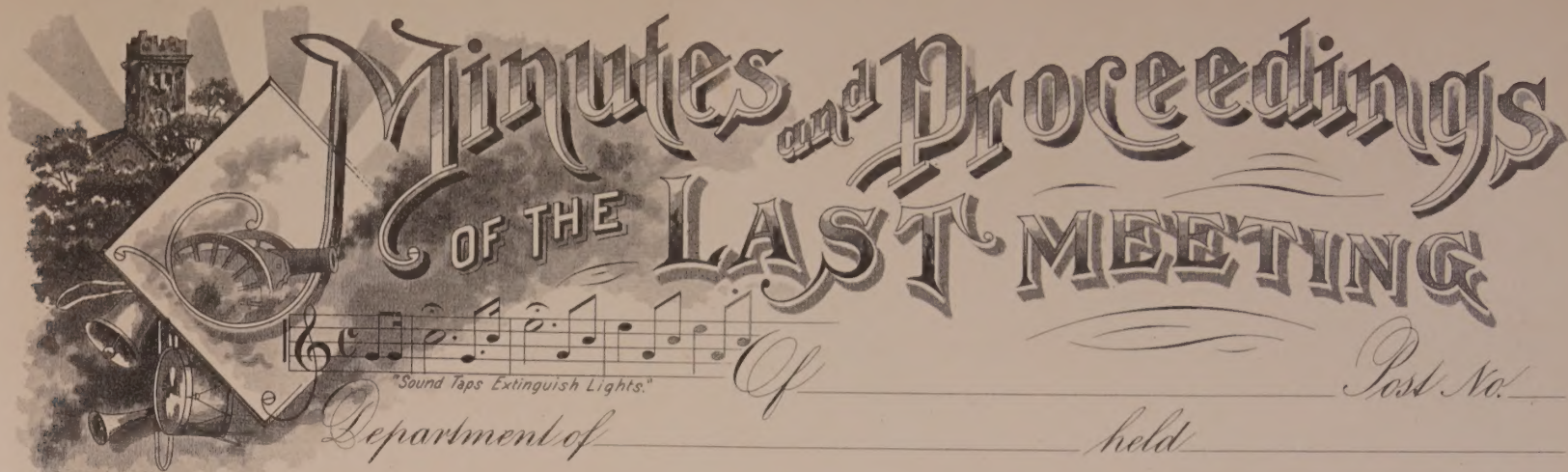
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